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Sir:

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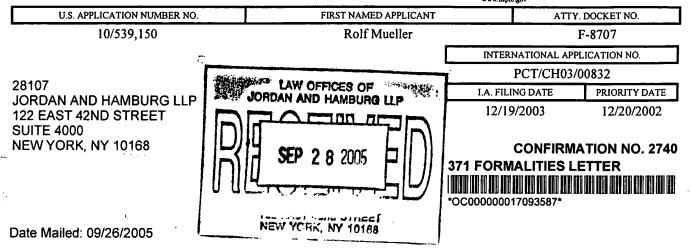
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The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

 Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.

Additionally the following defects have been observed:

Annexes have not been entered because No English Translation submitted.

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